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5. [redacted] Met with Mr. Samuel Archibald, 25X1
Staff Director, and Benny Kaas, Counsel, House Government Information
Subcommittee, at Mr. Kaas' suggestion that the Agency might want to
look closely at section 2 of H. R. 5312, with respect to the authority of
Federal officers and agencies to withhold information and limit the
availability of records. Mr. Kaas is hopeful that the final wording
of section 2 by the committee will state the specific repeal of section
(2) of the Administrative Procedure Act but he cannot be certain that
the present wording which would repeal all laws or parts of laws "in-
consistent with the amendments made by the first section of this Act"
will not be left in the Bill. Should the Agency desire further consideration
of this section, he will be pleased to meet with us on the matter.

6. [redacted] 25X1
[redacted] to a conference with the staff of the
Senate Internal Security Subcommittee. The Subcommittee desired
[redacted] testimony on Soviet assassinations, murder and kidnapping. 25X1
in connection with a study which it is conducting on this subject. The
section lasted approximately three hours in executive session with a
transcript taken. Present from the Subcommittee staff were Messrs.
Searwime, Mandel, Mandel and Mrs. Mackey. Mr. David Martin,
Staff Assistant to Senator Thomas J. Dodd was also present. The
transcript of the conference will be referred to us for editing and
security review.

7. [redacted] Upon further reflection, I contacted 25X1
Commander Monahan, in the Office of Security Review of DOD, and
suggested that any specific reference to CIA be deleted from Admiral
Bisca's testimony including references to [redacted] 25X1
[redacted] Monahan said he thought he could take care of this and he would 25X1
contact us if he ran into any difficulties.

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